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Hon. Mr. Costigan Says the Bill Wil Be Re-introduced Next Session.

In an interview with the Fredericton Hereld Hon John Costigan states that he will again be a candidate in Victoria and Madawaska, and that the last has not been neard of the Winding Ledges Dam. The last been heard of the Winding Ledges Dam project," the honorable entlemn was asked.

"Oh no, not by any means. I am pretty safe in saying that the bill will be reintroduced at Ottawa next session, We were rather unfortunate in bringing the matter

and their opponents as to which could do
the most to kill our proposition. The result was that the bill was dropped but
not for good. We expected opposition
from the Fredericton Boom Company, but
there is no reason why the St. John mill
owners should become alarmed. There
will be no delay in sorting their legs and passing them through the booms. The ime is coming when it will be absolutely recessary to have mills located as near the mins as possible, and those engaged in hubber industry are beginning to real-tis. We have an excellent chance for so nour side of the line at Winding less and will have the mills if we get

the dam. We have some American capi-talists associated with us in the venture, and already we have authority from the where the river is all in American terri-tory, and build their dam. This will mean the erection of mills on the American side,

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Better Than Boston.

It is an unwise thing to make your tearts restless about their homes and sur-oundings, but when our young men and and for our sons and daughters than being servants in Boston. It is better to own a farm in the Canadian Northwest than to carry a hod or split wood in Boston. We have nothing but kind words for the literary hub of the United States, but the hub

UNCLE SAM SEIZES ZION; ELIJAH III. NOW A BANKRUPT.

Chicago Judge Appoints Receivers for the Dowielte City-Failure of the New York Expedition of the Restoration Host Hurried the Crash, and Creditors Clamored

for Their Money in Vain.

industries were started, and as both of these ventures have never been a paying investment, a great deal more money was tied up. Dowie's difficulties with his brother-in-law, Stevenson, over the management of the lace factory, cost more than \$100,000, and other suits recently better than \$100,000, and other suits recently better than \$100,000, and other suits recently better than \$100,000.

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Attorney, Ettelson, representing the petitioning creditors, in his argument before Judge Köhlsaat, said:

"The creditors whom I represent have reason to believe that Doctor Dowie is insolvent. Judgments have been accumulating against him for several weeks past, and there was every indication that the overseer of Zion congregation could not pay his debts. In such a crisis the creditors sought protection for their interests in the bankruptcy court. It is impossible to estimate the liabilities or assets of Dowie. Zion's affairs are complicated, and it will take several weeks, I believe, before any idea of Dowie's finances can be had."

Judge Kohlsaat at first refused to ap Judge Kohlsaat at first refused to appoint a receiver for the property, on the ground that Dowie should have notice of so important a proceeding. After listening to a further account of Dowie's affairs from Mr. Ettelson, Judge Kohlsaat decided it would be well to have the receivers appointed before the property at Zion City could be dissipated. He therefore entered the order appointing Messrs. Blount and Currier.

Elijah III's. Vain Appeal,

It is declared by the receivers appointed yesterday for Zion City that the affairs of Dowie are in a worse situation than was

is admitted by the receivers and their at-torneys that the claims against him for

this bank as well as the institution at Zion City. Experts have been at work on

the books of both institutions.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—The secrets of the Dowie Bank have been so closely guarded that not even the state auditor has been

expect to "go to the bottom" of the bank-ing institution and scrutinize its methods of doing business as well as its financial

Boston, Dec. 2.—"I'm not a prophet or the son of a prophet, but Zion will come

through all right," said Rev. Wm. Hammer Piper, overseer of the Dowie church in New England. "They can't bust Zion," he added. "It is possible that the press despatches may be in error. They have

in this. It is the latest form of persecu-tion. The church has come through great

Dowie's Liabilities \$725.000.

Last Wednesday Dowie's first confession of weakness was made at a rally in the tabernacle at Zion City.

"A lot of you people have cash in your pocket," Dowie said to his followers. "Dig down and get it out. It is God's and we need it in His work. You're cowards if you don't give it up. Derposit it."
Dowie talked in the same strain for more than an hour, tears glistening on his more than an hour tears glistening on his cheeks as he told of the financial straits in which the Zion's industries found them-Instead of frightening many into

positing, this appeal sent a long line of people to the bank on Friday, when they lined up at the paying teller's window, drawing out their money.

Less than \$5,000 was deposited in the bank on Friday, while the amount withdrawn was twice as much. Late in the afternoon, A. W. Graham, of Waukegan, tried to withdraw his account of \$300, and was told he would have to give thirty days' notice before he could get his money. Yesterday another appeal was made by Dowie for funds, but the depositors who appeared were few, and the deposits were chiefly in trivial amounts.

Today Dowie asked the members of Zion more urgently than ever for money. He declared that he must have \$500,000 without delay. This sum, he said, he was willing to take in short loans, but that they must be forthcoming immediately. In the efforts to remedy the condition of affairs at Zion City, hundreds of letters were sent out daily to Dowie's followers in other parts of the country. In these letters, in which glowing prospects of Zion. Less than \$3,000 was deposited in th in other parts of the country. In these letters, in which glowing prospects of Zioh City's future was painted, and in which Dowie himself is quoted as praying that all who believed in him will "follow the Lord," all Dowieites are urged, almost commanded, to sell their farms, stores and everything else and come at once to Zion City and take up the work of the church. All of those who have money in banks near where they now live, were asked to draw that money out of the local banks and send it for deposit at Zion City.

It is declared to be a fact that the employes of the manufacturing industries

ployes of the manufacturing industries have not been paid in from four to six weeks. What little they have received is said to have been paid entirely in the Zion City coupon books.

The receiver with their attorneys and custodian Reidiske, with six deputy marshals, went out to Zion City tonight to serve upon Dowie the notice of the receivership. Reideske and his deputies tribulation and has not yet endured all things, but it will come out all right."

GERMANY COMES OFF HER HIGH HORSE.

Most Favored Nation Treatment to Be Continued to British Colonies.

Penalizing Canada Would Be Great Card for Chamberlain's Policy, Says London Tele-graph-Britain Adopting Preference Would Mean Lower Tariffs All Over the World.

London, Dec. 3-Speaking at a banqu o the British Chamber of Commerce at clared there was no ground for believing Britain's adoption of a preferential tariff would disturb friendly feelings between France and Great Britain. Canadians, especially French-Canadians, were determined to lend themselves to no plan which would raise difficulties between Great Britain and France. He believed such a policy would ultimately lead to a general reduction of tariffs all over the world.

Hon. C. T. Ritchie, speaking at the

policy. If protection was adopted living would become higher.

Referring to Germany's announcement of continuing the most favored nation treatment to the British colonies, the Telegraph saye: "Count Von Buelow knows if he began penalizing Canada he simply would become an exceedingly effective canyaiser for Chamberlain." ective canvasser for Chamberlain."

The Express says that Germany is afraid

of the tariff revolver.

The London Leader refers to the Montreal Board of Trade protest re Frenchislands under the heading "Canadian

COTTON PRICES HERE ADVANCE.

um advance represented an en-value of from \$3 to \$3.50 per bale.

Wild Cotton Market at New Orleans. New Orleans, Dec. 3—Today was the wildest day ever seen in the cotton market. The bureau estimate at 11 o'clock of 9,962,039 bales for this season's crop sent prices up from ninety to ninety-one points above yesterday's closing figures.

The confusion was so great that trading "I love this tabernacle." he said. "I loved all my tabernacles as I loved my people. As my people have grown, so have my temples of worship. And when we prepare to leave this tabernacle for the last time, the next house of worship will be Jerusalem. "The flesh pots are the cause of our coming here tonight. They are a joke to us. For an hour the dogs have thought they led me. But beloved, we are going to kick them out now. We will kick them for all eternity. was difficult, and it was fully two minutes after the estimate was read before quotations were posted.

In their enthusiasm bulls predicted twenty-five cents for cotton. More conservative members, however, thought fif-

teen cents high enough for some time to oome.

Trading for the day probably was greater than any preceding day in the history of the exchange. Early in the day the floor was crowded with visitors from the country and space had to be roped off about the ring to give as much room as possible to brokens for trading. Eight and a quarter minutes after the report was read the market received the first check. The nie in March figures suddenly stopped at 12.50, and the next sale a few minutes later was seven points lower. The bears made great efforts to keep the price down, but the bull movement was irresistible, and a few minutes later prices were again on the boom. to kick them out now. We will kick them for all eternity.

"Beloved, I would like to take you atto my confidence. A few minutes ago I received a communication that has caused the clouds to lift. They are beginning to part. I call upon you to help me crush them all. My people, I come to you for help. I know that you will not be found wanting. Are you of Zion, or not?"

There was a feeble "yes."

"Those devils parasites, the reporters, came to me today. They wanted to know what I would say to you tonight. Did they learn from me?"

Cries of "No."

"I tell you, we will run them out of

The price of the product of the Cornwall and York cotton mil's in this city was advanced Wednesday in sympathy with the remarkable advance in the price of raw material. As announced in yesterday's Telegraph, the Canadian mills generally have put advances in effect, the range being from five to eight and ten per least "I tell you, we will run them out of Zion. I knew they were coming before they attempted to pollute Zion. I knew it by the stench that came ahead of them."

Cornwall & York Company, said last even-ing that the advance in the St. John mills which took effect Wednesday was of five Receiver Currier said tonight:—
"I believe that Mr. Dowie will be able to pay off all his obligations in time. Just how long this time will be is something that we will not be able to tell until we which took effect wednesday was of live to ten per cent on nearly all grades. The price of raw cotton, which is now at the highest point reached in twenty years, was the cause. The company has on hand a few weeks supply of raw material bought at a low rate but will soon be out in the months of each ing new sumplies. his affairs."

Yesterday it was the opinion that the liabilities of Dowie would not amount at the outside to over \$350,000. Tonight it

market seeking new supplies.

Col. Jones thinks the remarkable price Col. Jones thinks the remarkable price to which cotton has climbed is due chiefly to manipulation. The Washington bureau report issued yesterday gave this year's estimated crop in the south as 9,960,000 bales. (About 10,500,000 bales is looked upon as an average crop and he thinks that, rather than decline, the future will mortgages on his property at Zion City amounting to \$125,000, which are due the first of next year. He owes \$100,000 to his brother-in-law, Samuel Stevenson, making a total of \$725,000.

The receivers today found one of Dowie's spatch here printed and telling of another sharp rise had been received so it cannot be said if there'll be a further advance in prices at the St. John mills today or not. banks in operation at Twelfth street and Michigan avenue and they promptly put an agent in charge and had the doors closed. Judge Kohlsaat later ratified the action of the receivers in shutting down

DOWIE MUST SAY WHERE MONEY IS.

(Continued from page 1.) A shovelful of coal or a dozen or two sticks of wood comprised the entire visible supply of fuel of most of the people from whom Dowie is asking \$500,000. Others still less fortunate possessed neither coal or wood.

tion of the institution. The legislature sought to probe into the methods of the bank three years ago, but was forced to acknowledge defeat.

Receivers Blount and Currier, however, neither coal or wood.

Whether Dowie's home, Shiloh House, is connected with the administration building, 200 feet away, by an underground tunnel is a question that is puzzling Custodian Paul Rediesko.

Not once since the receivers seized Zion City has its founder been seen out of doors, yet he has held conferences both at his home and at the administration.

this afternoon, made by some of the creditors to have Dowie appear in court for examination before a referee in bankdespatches may be in error. They have been before in regard to our church."

He laughed at the insinuation that Zion was insolvent and characterized as positively preposterous the suggestion that members of the church had made a run on the bank and refused to come to the salief of Dowie

Tremont Temple's New Pastor Greeted. Boston, Dec. 3-Fully 1,000 people, in-Boston, Dec. 3—Fully 1,000 people, including Governor Bates and clergymen from the various churches of the city gave an enthusiastic greeting to Rev. Dr. Henson, the new pastor of Tremont Temple tonight in Converse Hall. A number of speeches were made welcoming Dr. Henson to Boston, to which he feelingly re-

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SAVAGES KILLED TEN

Captain of Benjamin Sewall, and Wife of Lost Vessel, Arrive at

Victoria, B. C., and Tell the Story. Victoria, B. C., Dec. 2.-The steamer Iro

fallen into the hands of the natives. These men, William Reinveld and Julius Caloo, had been kept alive to carry wood. When found they were naked, their bodies sore

Since the wreck the United States con-sul at Shanghar has received advices from the United States that Third Mate Joseph Morris, one of the prisoners thought to have been murdered, had been left heir to

WOMEN CAN'T PRACTICE

London, Dec. 2.—The house of lords has finally decided that women are debarred by their sex from becoming qualified lawyers in this country. The question arose on the appeal of a Londoner, Miss Bertha Cave, against the decision of the benchers of Gray's Int not to admit her as a student for the purpose of being called to the bat. The court decided that there was no precedent for a woman's admission to the Inns of the court and no reason to create a precedent. The benchers assert that the statutes of Gray's Inn ignore women so absolutely Gray's Inn ignore women so absolutely as to leave them no power to admit

ST. JOHN MARKETS.

The most notable change so far this week is in kerosene which has advanced ½ cent on all grades with a very firm feeling.

The new stock of Valencia raisins is easier in price at 7½ to 7¾ per lb.

There is a distinctly easier feeling in pork.

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 3.-Glanders has caused the death of Mrs. Emma Mueller, who was married only a week ago. She from the disease and the girl contracted it through an abrasion of the skin.

2,500 Men Laid Off Indefinitely. Bellaire, Ohio, Dec. 3-Twenty-five hundred men were laid off today when they reported for work at the plant of the National Steel Company. The works were closed down for an indefinite period on orders from Pittsburg. No explanation was given for the order.

Montreal, Dec. 3-(Special)-The Montreal firemen were today granted an in-

TOWN OF CHATHAM LOSES

SHIPWRECKED SAILORS, John Woodford, of St. John, Wins Case - Leave Reserved to Move to Court Above to Enter Verdict for Defendant - North End Bound ary Case.

A verdict of \$100 was granted in the Maru, which arrived today from the circuit court Thursday against the town of Chatham at the suit of John Woodages to the extent of \$2,000 are asked for.

The facts are admitted by both sides, and the questions are strictly points of law. The validity of a by-law passed by the town council is in issue, and also whether or not the town is liable for the unauthorized act of one of its agents.

The facts are that the plaintiff, John Woodford, was in Chatham on Jan. 30, 1902, as representative of the Gazette, soliciting subscriptions. He was accosted by Frank Keenan, a constable, and asked to pay a license fee of \$5. He refused, saying he did not think it necessary. He was accested and taken to the jail, but rather than he locked up he paid the \$5 under protest. The present suit is for damages for this false arrest.

Yesterday Judge Hanington gave judgment for the plaintiff, and assessed the damages at \$100. Leave was reserved to the defendants to move to the court above

damages at \$100. Leave was reserved to the defendants to move to the court above to enter a verdict for the defendants.

R. A. Lawlor and L. A. Currey, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff; and Hon. H.

A. McKeown and W. J. Loggie for the defendants.

The case of Noddin vs. Akerley was fin-

ished yesterday. This was the matter of the disputed boundary line between lots of land in Victoria lane. Judge Hanington decided in favor of the plaintiff, and awarded him damages of \$40 for trespass by the defendant.

A stay of postea was asked for by the defendant, and granted. L. A. Currey, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff; and Dr. A. A. Stockton, K. C., and A. W. Baird

HAMPTON CURLING CLUB ANNUAL MEETING

Seven New Members Join - New Officers Elected Retiring President

Hampton, N. B., Dec. 3—(Special)—The annual meeting of the Hampton Curling Club was held this evening and was attended by a large number of members.

The reports of the various officers were received and showed that the standing of the club was good. The club starts the new year with very bright prospects. Seven new members were elected as fol-

new year with very bright prospects. Seven new members were elected as follows: E. Allan Schofield, Charles Lawrence, Fenwick Giggey, Heber Hodgin, Hudson Appleby, Edward Robinson, and Rev. R. G. Fulton.

The following officers were elected: T. Wm. Barnes, president; Wm. Langstroth, vice; Fred. M. Sproul, secretary; James M. Scovil, treasurer; Wm. March, R. Smith, George M. Wilson, managing committee; T. C. Donald, H. E. Fowler, R. H. Smith. Audit committee. R. H. Smith, Audit committee.

The date of the annual meeting wa changed from the first Thursday in December to the fourth Tuesday in October, and the monthly meeting was changed to the fourth Tuesday.

the fourth Tuesday.

After adjournment the members were invited by the retiring president, H. E. Fowler, to a dinner at the Riverside Hotel, where a couple of hours were spent in speech-making, songs, etc.

The keen interest shown in the club was made manifest tonight when the retiring president, who missed the train at Norton, walked the whole distance to Hampton to meet his guests.

C P. Debentures Bring Good Prices. Montreal, Dec. 3—A special cable from London announces that the C. P. R. have placed from £2,000,000 to £3,000,000 4 per cent. debenture bonds on the British market at from 106 to 109. This is a portion of the debentures the directors were authorized to issue for the payment of extensive terminal improvements and the acquisition of the Atlantic fleet.